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## DOCTORS WHO FAVOR VACCINATION GRILLED BY A BROTHER DOCTOR

Dr. Munn, a Leading Practitioner of Waterbury, Principal Speaker at Annual Meeting of Anti-Vaccination Society.

Major Thomas Boudren, Pioneer in Movement to Stop Insertion of Virus Into Healthy Bodies, Is Interested Listener—Pictures of Sufferers by Vaccination Liberally Displayed.

The medical fraternity as a whole was roughly handled at the meeting of the Anti-Compulsory Vaccination League of this city, at Lincoln hall last night. In fact yesterday was the field day of those who are opposed to the practice of injecting vaccine virus into the bodies of healthy persons.

The principal speaker of the evening was Dr. S. B. Munn of Waterbury, president of the State League. Major Thomas Boudren, the father of the anti-vaccination movement in Bridgeport, was present and a gratified listener. He has seen his fight of 20 years or more bear fruit and believes that the final triumph of his principles is not far off. The most noticeable feature of the evening was the hostility to the regular medical practitioners which cropped out at frequent intervals. The follies and errors of the doctors were the subjects of many sharp thrusts. Had they been present themselves to have heard the belaboring they got they would have been compelled at times to join the general laugh.

Major Boudren had procured a large number of stereopticon slides, containing pictures of cases where vaccination had resulted in permanent injury or death. These cases were all accompanied by a history, giving the name of the patients and other information which can be easily verified. These pictures furnished a veritable chamber of horrors. Some of them were a pitiful commentary on existing conditions.

Dr. Thomas Mulligan of New Britain opened with a short address in which he attacked the compulsory vaccination theory. He said the only ones the practice protected from smallpox were those who were killed by it. He regretted that he must take refuge for Waterbury, and left the meeting. Dr. Munn followed with an address which was rational and convincing, but also kindly. He said that the subject from a medical standpoint, for he has been a practicing physician for over 50 years. The speaker began at the foundation and explained the cowpox means and also what the disease smallpox is dependent upon. He was armed with figures and facts and information gathered in the years he has been opposing the vaccination habit.

He attacked the theory that there is any such thing as pure virus. It is a contradiction of terms, a tautology. It is not pure if it is virus. To reject the statement that pure virus creates an immunity from smallpox or that it renders the disease lighter if it is contracted, Dr. Munn cited his experience in Waterbury in 1882 when there was an epidemic of smallpox in that city. Of the 19 cases which came to his attention only one had been vaccinated and the rest were not. The others who had not been vaccinated recovered.

He made a point when he called attention to the fact that physicians pass from house to house containing patients suffering from contagious diseases. While health officers of the city of Waterbury he passed from houses containing smallpox patients to others and also returned to his own home where he has a family. He said he carried no infection. He alluded to the general belief that doctors have some method of providing immunity for themselves to the disease which they create. He created a laugh when he asserted that he did not believe doctors could be so inhuman as to require vaccination to allow the spread of smallpox when they knew of another better plan which they kept a secret from the public.

He asserted that smallpox was the result of an excess of urea in the blood. Without this condition smallpox could no more exist in the human system than potatoes could grow in a snow bank. When the kidneys are unable to remove the proper proportion of urea the subject is in a condition to contract smallpox. If that condition did not exist smallpox could never follow. A sovereign preventive is to take a course of treatment in every house. If a teaspoonful of cream tartar be dissolved in a pint of water and a tablespoonful be

taken three times a day it will produce a real immunity from smallpox. Vaccination does not produce immunity and its most ardent advocates will not claim it. The disease is a remedy should be taken by the children in the spring whether there is smallpox in the vicinity or not. It will remove the excess of urea. The dose should be regulated according to the age of the child not to exceed a tablespoonful three times a day. Instead of preventing smallpox vaccination is creating it all the time. The doctor took a fall out of the anti-tuberculosis people when he asserted that all this howling about the white plague was a humbug. The first move in their plan is to remove the patient to a sanitarium where he is surrounded by a disconsolate crowd of coughing and spitting patients, removing the last ray of hope from the consumptives and depriving them of the consolation of home so dear to those in ill health. "What's it for?" It's to make business, isn't it? Was there ever a time when the doctors worked for the interest of the people? They want business, don't they? How are they to get it unless people are sick?" asked the speaker.

The doctor quoted Dr. Couderc and Dr. Ross, French and English physicians in Montreal during the epidemic of smallpox in which 3,200 persons died, 2,500 of whom were children. These physicians supplied valuable statistics for the anti-vaccinationists. Dr. Couderc, a famous physician from England, visited Montreal and told his medical friends there that they could have cowpox unless they were inoculated. The sores on the upper come from this inoculation. Any one who says that smallpox is not a disease because the city was so well vaccinated. The next year the disease broke out with terrible results.

"There is no such thing as cowpox and there never was. No one ever heard of bull pox, or ox pox. Cow pox is supposed to be an eruption on the udder. This might result from the stings of insects, dirty hands of milkers, dirt from lying in stables or any other of a dozen causes. It is not a disease, it is a skin eruption analogous to smallpox. It is not so. Statistics show that more males have smallpox than females. Cowpox is a disease which is not contagious. It is not a disease. The sores on the upper come from this inoculation. Any one who says that smallpox is not a disease because the city was so well vaccinated. The next year the disease broke out with terrible results.

"Vaccination is the poisoning of the blood. Is it the business of the doctors to make people sick? If the people only knew enough to let them alone they would be better off. Dr. Louis Blumer of Hartford, practicing in this city, followed with an enthusiastic address.

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### CONTEST FOR HONOR OF REPRESENTING K. OF C. NATIONALLY

Health Commissioner Kelly Is Choice of Bridgeport Delegates for One Place—Mayor Dunn's Candidacy Also Favored.

Daniel P. Dunn, mayor of Williamstown, is among the candidates of the Knights of Columbus of his city for election as one of the state delegates to the National Convention, K. of C. The national delegates will be chosen at the state convention which will be held in this city, May 11. It is the custom to accord one representative to the city in which the state convention is held. Commissioner George P. Kelly, of the Health Board, a member of Park City Council, is the choice of the Bridgeport delegates for this place. Undoubtedly the delegates here will be kindly disposed toward the candidacy of Mayor Dunn for one of the remaining places. He is a member of San Jose Council, Williamstown. He has always taken an active part in promoting the welfare of his council and the order in general. He has followed the order of the practice of the order in its organization, and as a member of the old guard sympathizes with the older members, and believes that if discrimination in insurance rates are made they should favor the older rather than the younger members.

### Crops Damaged by Hailstorm and Too Late to Replant

Norfolk, Va., May 4.—Reports received from the Deep Creek trucking section of Norfolk county estimate the loss to growing crops by the hailstorm of Saturday evening at \$100,000. Practically all crops but potatoes and strawberries were cut off completely, and these were badly damaged. It is too late to replant.

President Staples announced as Bridgeport directors in the Connecticut Automobile association for the ensuing year: P. T. Staples, F. W. Bole, F. A. Strong and Silas Burton.

B. B. Stebler in chair of the hill climb program for the Press club reported progress and displayed sample badges.

President Staples announced the fol-

### AUTOMOBILE CLUB NAMES COMMITTEES

At a meeting of the board of governors of the Automobile Club of Bridgeport held last evening at The Stratfield, the following new members were elected: Willard S. Plumb, Fredrick Read Carpet Co.; Thomas DeForest, B. D. Pierce, Jr. Co.; Abram Heaton, 1320 East Main street; John Nelson Chrove, treasurer Electric Cable Co.

President F. T. Staples presided. He reported a trap in Darien and Assistant Secretary H. M. Lyon was instructed to send warning notices to all members. It seems the town officials are arresting and fining all automobileists who do not blow their horns on approaching the viaduct in that place.

Mr. Staples also reported attending a meeting of the state directors of the New Haven on Saturday. At that meeting it was voted to support an amendment to the motor car law doing away with the motor commissioner with unlimited power and providing for a registration official in the secretary of state's office who shall have power to appoint a deputy to investigate cases of reckless driving, etc., with specified fees attached.

He also reported that a state publicity committee had been created of which F. W. Boland of this city had been named chairman. Each club is to be represented by one member.

As there seemed to be a demand for club flags the matter of procuring

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Road repairs—H. E. French, H. H. DeLoss, George W. Jackson, Thomas DeForest.

Legislative—Goodwin Stoddard, Judge E. P. Nobbs, A. W. Paige, S. T. Davis, Jr., T. H. Macdonald, Frank Miller, Dever H. Warner, Dr. C. C. Godfrey, David F. Read, F. W. Boland.

Public safety—Sanford Stoddard, E. P. Bullard, Jr., Robert E. French, A. K. L. Watson, Herbert M. Lyon, E. A. Strong.

Touring information—F. A. Rantz, E. Fairchild, W. E. Norris, Charles Gilbert, Stoney Henry G. Curtis, Sandy Hook, F. B. Dalton, Danbury.

### PROMINENT MEN CAUGHT IN DARIEN AUTOMOBILE TRAP

Allan W. Paige, A. W. Riker and S. T. Davis Appeal from Decision of Justice Court.

Darien constables arrested former Senator Allan W. Paige, Sunday, for not blowing the whistle of his automobile as he came to the town bridge, and for violating the speed law. In the same trap fell A. L. Riker, of the Locomobile Company of America, S. T. Davis, Jr., president of the same company. With Mr. Paige they appealed from the decision of the justice court and gave bond of \$100 each. Van Severen, New York, was fined \$15; Edward B. Griffith, Connecticut, \$15; T. Penabody, Connecticut, \$15; R. L. Seidel, New York, \$15.

E. A. Godfrey, of the Blue Ribbon Garage, this city, escaped with a warning. The account of the trial, as given in the Norwalk Hour, reads like the report of justice proceedings in the Arabian Nights. It appears that Mr. Paige made the court produce a copy of the automobile law; that the town had to be searched to find one that was official. Mr. Paige smoked the court a cigar, and the court smoked. Mr. Paige asked how business was. The court said, "We have 23 d hope to get 55 more."

The court, by the way, was Justice William H. Wilmont, who was simply doing his duty as he "seen it."

### Legal Aspects of Peace Movement Discussed Today

(Special from United Press.) Chicago, May 4.—There was no waning of the enthusiasm of the delegates to the Second National Peace Conference when the second day's session began this morning. President George E. Roberts of the Commerce & Finance Bank presided and addresses were confined to short talks by men prominent in the industrial world. The principal address was by Marcus Marks of New York, president of the National Association of Clothiers, on the subject "Business Men Want Peace."

At a session of the women delegates the principal addresses were delivered by Miss Jane Adams of Chicago, and Mrs. Lucia Ames Mead of Boston.

Mrs. Mead discussed "Five Dangerous Fallacies."

One of the most important sessions of the conference was held in the afternoon when the legal aspects of the peace movement were discussed. William J. Calhoun of Chicago presided and Professor William I. Hull of Swarthmore College was the first speaker. "The Advance Registered on the Questions Likely to be Considered by the Third Hague Conference."

Professor Charles Cheney, head of the University of Chicago, discussed a number of legal problems capable of settlement by arbitration, and then James Brown Scott, solicitor of the United States State Department, spoke on "The Questions Likely to be Considered by the Third Hague Conference."

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### CAPT. HAIN'S MOTHER HELPING SON ESCAPE ELECTRIC CHAIR

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